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From: Commander
To: Distribution List

Subj: MARINE FORCES RESERVE RESOURCES OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE

1. Purpose. To provide guidance on the composition and function of the Marine Forces Reserve Resources Oversight Committee.

2. Scope. This order describes, in general terms, the process by which Marine Forces Reserve will internally develop and prioritize its resource objectives. Additionally, it addresses the support functions and delineates responsibilities.

3. Information. Posturing for resources and managing funds requires a disciplined approach to formally review alternatives, document programs, and establish priorities for the application of scarce resources. This process is intended to serve as the basis for the Forces' programmed management.

4. Background

a. Marine Forces Reserve (MFR) manages programmed, as well as, non-programmed funding. For example, programmed monies stem from the POM process which include RPMC, O&M, MCR, and MCNR. NGREA and enhancements are non-programmatic funds which are appropriated by Congress to offset deficiencies.

b. MFR's resource plan incorporates those of the 4th Marine Division, 4th Marine Aircraft Wing, 4th Force Service Support Group, Marine Corps Reserve Support Command, and force units.

c. Current resource processes for MFR are currently coordinated but remain independent.

5. Action.

a. Major Subordinate Commands and staff agencies will comply with this order.

b. The Resource Oversight Committee will provide the Force with a disciplined mechanism to formally review alternatives, document programs, and identify priorities for resource allocation.

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c. Major Subordinate Commands and staff agencies will provide timely support in the form of information or analysis to the committee, as required.

6. Composition

a. The Committee will be chaired by the Deputy Commander, Marine Forces Reserve and consist of the Chief of Staff, Marine Forces Reserve; Chief of Staff, 4th Marine Division; Chief of Staff, 4th Marine Aircraft Wing, Chief of Staff, Deputy Commander, 4th Force Service Support Group; and Deputy Commander, Marine Corps Reserve Support Command.

b. A resource group, as a minimum, will be comprised of functional experts from the following: Major Subordinate Commands, G-3, G-4, G-6 & G-8, BOS, and Comptroller.

7. Schedule

a. The Deputy Commander, Marine Forces Reserve will approve a meeting schedule for each calendar year. This schedule will be published and distributed by the end of February.

b. Additional or ad hoc meetings will be approved by the Deputy Commander, Marine Forces Reserve, as required. This may be required throughout the months of April-October.

8. Recommendations. Recommendations concerning the contents of this order should be forwarded to AC/S, G-8 via the chain of command.



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